



MAIL STOP  
AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: T. Yamada et al. Attorney Docket No.: MRSH119253  
Application No.: 09/823,282 Group Art Unit: 2655  
Filed: March 30, 2001 Examiner: T.P. Lao  
Title: USER SUPPORT APPARATUS AND SYSTEM USING AGENTS

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Seattle, Washington 98101

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	8	-	30	=	0	x	18	=	0
Independent Claims	3	-	6	=	0	x	88	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

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B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Please cancel Claim 22. Please amend Claims 23-25 as shown in the attached pages.

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